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Friends HALL and SELLERS,

By inſerting the following Lines in your uſeful Paper, you will much oblige your Friend and Cuſtomer, J. L.

IN reading the Supplement to the Pennſylvania Gazette, No. 2175, I met with a Piece, ſigned *Amintor*, which is ſo agreeable to my Mind, that I could not but rejoice when I read it, and ſhould be glad if it might be a Means of making ſome Proviſion for the Safety of our Flocks in the Jerſeys. I muſt confeſs I was ſorry when I heard that ſo uſeful a Law as that which laid a Tax on Dogs, was expired, and come to an End. Is not taking the Tax off Dogs, an Encouragement for many People to raiſe and keep more than are really neceſſary? And Dogs, when they get ſeveral of them together, are more apt to do Miſchief, than where there is but one by himſelf.

It is not three Days ſince I was diſcourſing with a Friend of mine on the ſame Subject (before I ſaw that Piece, ſigned *Amintor*) he ſeemed very ſorry ſo uſeful a Law ſhould be dropt, and told me, he would willingly pay Tax for his Dog, if that Law might be ſuffered to continue in Force, and I doubt not but it is the Caſe with many more, if not the greateſt Part of the Farmers in New-Jerſey.

One Objection I have heard againſt the Dog Tax is, that it amounted to a great deal for the Hunters, who keep Hounds, to pay; but may we not ſay with *Amintor*, to tax the miſchievous Pleaſures of Mankind, cannot be thought unjuſt or impolitic?

A JERSEY MAN.

From the LONDON CHRONICLE *of June* 30.

The following is a genuine copy of a letter ſent by a Committee of the Supporters of the Bill of Rights to the Honourable the Commons Houſe of Aſſembly of South-Carolina, in anſwer to the letter from the Aſſembly of South-Carolina (containing a ſubſcription to the Society of fifteen hundred pounds ſterling.) The noble ſpirit of univerſal liberty and benevolence, which breathes throughout this epiſtle, muſt, we ſuppoſe, make it affecting to every ſon of freedom, in every quarter of the globe.

To the Honourable the COMMONS HOUSE of ASSEMBLY of SOUTH-CAROLINA.

GENTLEMEN,

WE are directed by the Society, Supporters of the Bill of Rights, to tranſmit to you their thanks for the very honourable teſtimony you have at once given of your own ſentiments, and of your approbation of their conduct.

"The ſame ſpirit of union and mutual aſſiſtance, which dictated your vote in our favour, animates this Society. We ſhall ever conſider the rights of all our fellow-ſubjects throughout the Britiſh Empire, in England, Scotland, Ireland, and America, as ſtones of one arch, on which the happineſs and ſecurity of the whole are founded. Such would have been our principle of action, if the ſyſtem of Deſpotiſm, which has been adopted, had been more artfully conducted; and we ſhould as readily have aſſociated in the defence of your rights as our own, had they been ſeparately attacked.

"But Providence has mercifully allotted to depraved hearts weak underſtandings: The attack has been made by the ſame Men, at the ſame time, on both together, and will ſerve only to draw us cloſer in one great band of mutual friendſhip and ſupport.

"Whilſt the Norman troops of the firſt William kept the Engliſh in ſubjection, his Engliſh ſoldiers were employed to ſecure the obedience of the Normans. This management has been too often repeated now to ſucceed.

"There was a time when Scotland, though then a ſeparate and divided nation, could avoid the ſnare, and refuſed, even under their own Stuarts, to enſlave their ancient enemies. The chains which England and Scotland diſdained to forge for each other, England and America ſhall never conſent to furniſh.

"Property is the natural right of mankind; the connexion between taxation and repreſentation is its neceſſary conſequence. This connexion is now broken, and taxes are attempted to be levied both on England and America by men who are not their reſpective repreſentatives. Our cauſe is one----our enemies are the ſame. We truſt our conſtancy and conduct will not differ. Demands which are made without authority, ſhould be heard without obedience.

"In this, and in every other conſtitutional ſtruggle, on either ſide of the Atlantic, we wiſh to be united with you; and are as ready to give as to receive aſſiſtance.

"We deſire you, Gentlemen, to be perſuaded, that under all our domeſtic grievances and apprehenſions, the freedom of America is our particular attention; and theſe your public act and ſolemn engagement, afford us a pleaſing preſage, and confirm our hopes, that when luxury, miſrule and corruption ſhall, at length, in ſpite of all reſiſtance, have deſtroyed this noble conſtitution here, our poſterity will not, like your gallant anceſtors, be driven to an inhoſpitable ſhore, but will find a welcome refuge, where they may ſtill enjoy the rights of Engliſhmen amongſt their fellow-ſubjects, the deſcendants and brothers of Engliſhmen.

We are, Gentlemen, with the greateſt reſpect,
Your moſt obedient ſervants, and
Affectionate fellow-ſubjects,

Signed, JOHN GLYNN, *Chairman.*
RICHARD OLIVER, JOHN TREVANION, *Treaſurers.*
ROBERT BERNARD, JOSEPH MAWBEY, JAMES TOWNSEND, JOHN SAWBRIDGE, *Committee.*

LONDON, *June* 12.

A REPORT is circulated at the Weſt End of the Town, that ſome great Men are heartily tired with their Situation, and, apprehenſive of the Clouds continually thickening around them, ſeem diſpoſed more than ever to retire.

It is generally expected, that the next Remonſtrance will come from Buckinghamſhire. The Gentlemen of that County are determined to ſupport this Meaſure with Vigour, particularly Mr. Aubrey, who did himſelf ſo much Honour by the patriotic Spirit and Reſolution with which he promoted the Buckinghamſhire Petition.

A Report is current, that Lord Hillſborough will ſpeedily reſign the Poſt of Secretary of State for the Plantations.

Yeſterday an Expreſs arrived from Mecklenburgh Strelitz, ſaid to contain ſome diſagreeable Advices from that Court.

A Noble Lord, on whoſe Judgment Adminiſtration lays great Streſs, has ſtrenuouſly urged the Neceſſity of repealing the American Tea-act, and at the ſame Time propoſed a Meaſure, which will be equally conciliating on both Sides.

This Week ſome Inſtructions of a very important Nature will be ſent off by Expreſs to the Commanders of his Majeſty's Squadrons, in the Weſt-Indies.

We hear for a Fact, that a certain anti-miniſterial Paper is carried on by the Friends of the preſent Miniſtry, who endeavour to throw out as much of the low Scandal and Abuſe againſt themſelves as poſſible, in order to complain the next Seſſions of Parliament of the licentious Liberty of the Preſs, and by that Artifice deprive us of one of our moſt valuable Rights and Privileges.

We have Authority to aſſure our Readers, that the Report in the Daily Papers of an Offer having been made to the patriotic Lords Chatham and Camden, to hinder their joint Proceedings in Parliament, is falſe, as no ſuch Offer was ever made or thought of.

We are well informed, that ſtrenuous Intereſt was made for Lord Shelburne to ſucceed to the Viceroyſhip of Ireland---but in vain; for the Conteſt now reſts between two noble Perſonages, who were formerly in that high Office.

It is propoſed that the City of London ſhall ſend circular Letters, in Imitation of thoſe of the Colonies, to the ſeveral Counties and independent Boroughs in the Kingdom, on the preſent Poſture of Affairs.

It is ſaid that ſince Lord H------'s Arrival, he has had ſeveral private Conferences with a Great Perſonage.

An Evening Paper of laſt Night ſays, "that the Miniſtry, in Conſequence of ſeveral Councils that have been held within theſe few Days, have at length determined to give up Port Egmont to the Court of Spain. They affect to declare it not a Place worth contending for, being ſo remote from any of our other Settlements, thus ſacrificing not only the Honour of the Nation to an imperious Enemy, but tamely abandoning a Port, the Settlement of which has coſt this Kingdom near Half a Million; and which, if they had ſpiritedly retained, would have been a Key to the South Sea, and, in caſe of a War, enabled us to annoy the Spaniards with the greateſt Facility."

A conſiderable Quantity of Tobacco, the Produce of Weſt-Florida, was lately imported at Glaſgow, and is eſteemed, by good Judges, equal to that uſually brought from Maryland.

A Correſpondent ſays, that the Iſland of Corſica is known to abound with ſuch prodigious Quantities of Timber, fit for building Ships, that whatever naval Power ſhall poſſeſs that Iſland, may expect, in a few Years, to rule the Ocean.

June 20. Within this Week (and never before in the Memory of the oldeſt Man) a Patrole of the Horſe Guards has been appointed for the Strand, Piccadilly, Holbourn, and adjacent Streets.

They write from Copenhagen, that from the frequent Aſſembly of the Council, and the continual Return of Couriers between that Court and Berlin, it is conjectured ſome Buſineſs, of a very important Nature, is upon the Point of being negociated; and a Report is current, that his Daniſh Majeſty will very ſoon take Part with the Ruſſians, in the preſent War with the Turks.

The frequent Viſits to Court lately made by the firſt Commiſſioner of a certain marine Board, has given Riſe to a thouſand Conjectures, ſome of which are of a very ſerious Nature.

Yeſterday his Serene Highneſs the Prince of Mecklenburgh Strelitz, her Majeſty's youngeſt Brother, arrived at his Apartments at St. James's from Mecklenburgh Strelitz, &c. whence his Highneſs immediately ſet out for Richmond Palace, to viſit their Majeſties.

A Letter from Leghorn ſays, "We have a Report here, that the Plague is making great Ravages in Lower-Egypt. It is pretended, that a Ship from that Country, which had ſixty Paſſengers on board, many of whom are dead, is roving about the Seas, having been refuſed Admittance at ſeveral Ports."

The laſt Lord Mayor, who died in his ſecond Mayoralty, was Humphry Parſons, Eſq; who likewiſe died ſome Time about the Month of June, 1741.

June 23. Thurſday Lord Chatham came to Town from Hayes, in Conſequence of a Meſſage ſent him of the Death of the Lord Mayor, to whoſe Houſe he went, and ſhed many Tears over his late worthy Friend.

It is ſaid the Lord Mayor has bequeathed his ſuperb Hammer-Cloth of his State-Coach to the City of London; it coſt two Hundred and Fifty Pounds, and is the moſt magnificent Piece of Coach Furniture in the World.

The late worthy Lord Mayor continued the firm and ſteady Patriot which he lived, to the very laſt Moment of his Breath; for we are well aſſured, that the laſt Words he ſpoke, about ſix Minutes before he died, were a warm Ejaculation for the dear and ſacred Rights of his Country.

The late Lord Mayor, we are informed, has left a very conſiderable Part of his Eſtate in Jamaica, beſides a large Legacy in Money, to his Nephew, Peter Beckford, Eſq; Member of Parliament for Morpeth.

It is remarked that there are more knotty Points of Law on the Anvil of Judicature at preſent, than has been known of a long Time.

They write from Leghorn, that all the Ports of Italy and the Mediterranean are greatly alarmed, on account of the Plague, which now rages in different Parts of the Levant.

Private Letters from the Hague inform, that the States General have lately deſired the Mediation of Great-Britain, in a Diſpute of Importance between them and a certain great continental Power.

Letters from Peterſburgh adviſe, that the Czarina is endeavouring all in her Power, to augment her naval Forces, ſeven Men of War of the Line having been built at the different Ports of that Empire within theſe two Years.

The ſame Letters add, that it was whiſpered a Rupture would ſpeedily break out between, the Empreſs and a certain Euporean Power, in which it is imagined Great-Britain will be obliged to take Part.

This Morning an Expreſs was ſent off from the Office of Admiralty, Charing Croſs, to the Commiſſioners of the Dock-yards at Portſmouth and Plymouth.

It is obſerved of late, that the Miniſtry affect to be upon the beſt Terms with two foreign Ambaſſadors now at our Court.

Yeſterday Morning died Philip Carteret Webb, Eſq; formerly one of the Repreſentatives in Parliament for the Borough of Haſlemere, and at that Time one of the Solicitors of the Treaſury.

The Elector Palatine, once a pacific, though very powerful Prince, is of a ſudden grown very military. Laſt Year he blockaded Aix-la-Chapelle; now he is marching Troops to the Frontiers of Holland.------War, like common Riots, begins often by a ſecond or third Hand, but any the moſt ſhallow Politician can ſee he is only the Agent of a certain formidable Power, who wants an Excuſe to march 20,000 Men to the Barrier, and then uſe them on another Occaſion than oppoſing him.

We hear a certain financier has it in Agitation to tax a neceſſary of Life not before taxed, by which it is ſuppoſed 200,000l. will be raiſed annually.

It is ſaid, that a young naval Commander has preſſed in Council, Retaliation on a certain Court, for ſome late Acts of Hoſtility; and it is likewiſe ſaid, has propoſed the Place and Manner in which the Attempt ſhould be made; but though his Spirit was greatly applauded, his Propoſition, we hear, was declined.

Letters from Leghorn mention, that in a late Skirmiſh between the French Troops and Malcontents of Corſica, near 200 of the latter were either killed or taken Priſoners.

June 27. A Committee of 88, and a Sub-Committee of 12, are choſen to conduct Mr. Oliver's Election.

We hear that the late Lord-Mayor has, by his laſt Will, left to Mr. Beckford, his Son, about 11 Years of Age, his real Eſtate. To Mrs. Beckford, her Fortune of 600l. a Year, and the Fonthill Eſtate during Life, which is worth about 1200l. a Year, and to be allowed 1000l. a Year for the Education of her Son, who is to be entirely under her Direction.

To each of his natural Children 5000l. or in lieu of that 200l. a Year.

To each of his Servants, living with him at the Time of his Death, 10l. and Mourning.

June 28. Friday the Petition of Lady Groſvenor, as to the Allowance of Alimoney pending the Suit, came on to be heard before the Worſhipful Dr. John Betteſworth, Chancellor of the Dioceſe of London, when the Judge having heard Council on both Sides, was pleaſed to allow Lady Groſvenor 1600l. yearly Addition to the 400l. already allowed to her Ladyſhip by Lord Groſvenor, making in the whole 2000l. and ordered the ſame to be paid monthly.

BENEDICT DORSEY and JOSHUA CRESSON,

HAVING, ſome months ſince, entered into partnerſhip, have for ſale, at their ſtore in Third-ſtreet, nearly oppoſite to the Work-houſe (being the ſame lately occupied by Benedict Dorſey) French indigo, loaf and lump ſugar, muſcovado ſugar, by the hogſhead, barrel, or leſs quantity, bohea tea, coffee, chocolate, rice, race and ground ginger, muſtard, in bottles, alſpice, ſnuff, ſalt-petre, brimſtone, allom, and copperas; madder, and ground redwood, in cags; logwood and braziletto; cotton, by the bag, or leſs quantity; writing, printing, and wrapping paper, and paſteboard, powder and ſhot, Engliſh rag and Crumb-creek whetſtones, and grindſtones, iron pots and ſkillets, ſacking bottoms and bed-cords, long, middling and common corks, handſaw files, and artificial magnets; timothy ſeed, butter in cags, &c.

MURGATROYD and WICKERSHAM,

At their ſtore, in Second-ſtreet, a few doors below Race-ſtreet, have for ſale, at the moſt reaſonable rates,

WEST-INDIA, New-England, and Philadelphia rum, Teneriffe wine, melaſſes, muſcovado ſugar, lamp and tanners oil, blubber, tea, chocolate, tar, roſin, braziletto and logwood, rice, ginger, &c. &c. They likewiſe keep an aſſortment of the beſt kind of BAR IRON, by wholeſale and retail; alſo Humphreys's and Zanes's ſteel.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of Philip Fitzſimmons, late of Worceſter Townſhip, Philadelphia County, deceaſed, by Bond, Bill, Book-debt, or otherwiſe, are deſired to pay their reſpective Debts immediately to the Subſcribers; and all thoſe who have any Demands againſt the ſaid Eſtate, are deſired to bring in their Accounts directly, duly atteſted, to

MARY FITZSIMMONS, or)
JOSEPH CAUFFMAN,)Execut.

Philadelphia, September 4, 1770.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of John Cowperthwait, junior, late of Cheſter, in the County of Burlington, and Weſtern Diviſion of the Province of New-Jerſey, deceaſed, are required to make immediate Payment; and all thoſe who have any Demands againſt ſaid Eſtate, are deſired to bring in their Accounts, properly atteſted, ſo that they may be ſettled and paid, by JOSEPH COWPERTHWAIT, Adminiſtrator.

LATELY ARRIVED IN THIS CITY,

DR. ANTHONY YELDALL,

PRACTITIONER in PHYSIC and SURGERY;

WHO cures (by the bleſſing of God) all curable diſtempers, viz. He couches cataracts in the eyes, and cures all diſtempers incident thereto; as alſo dullneſs of hearing. He likewiſe cuts for the ſtone, cures the gravel in the kidneys and bladder; and all manner of ruptures, without pain or diſturbance: He alſo cures the dropſy and rheumatiſm, with all imaginable ſafety; he gives great eaſe in the moſt violent pain of the gout. He hath a particular ſafe method for the cure of the morbus gallicus, or French diſeaſe, in all its degrees, whether ſimple or virulent, without bath, ſtove, or mercury, whereby the patient need not be hindered from his buſineſs, nor his condition be made known to his moſt intimate acquaintance. He reſtoreth in a ſhort time to perfect health, thoſe that are troubled with vomiting, cholic, ſtitches in the ſide, and all ſcorbutic diſtempers, ſuch as ſcab, itch, leproſy, or any other cutaneous foulneſs. And in the caſes of cancerated breaſts, limbs, excreſcences, or whatever elſe require amputation, he does it with all imaginable ſafety. He likewiſe cuts hair-lips, double and ſingle, and perfects the cure in a week's time; alſo lips that are cancerated, without any deformity, and performs all other chirurgical operations.

N. B. The Doctor propoſes to attend the following towns weekly. Monday at Germantown, Tueſday at Cheſter, Wedneſday at Wilmington, Thurſday at Newcaſtle, and Saturday at Philadelphia, where he may be ſpoke with at his lodgings in Fourth-ſtreet, near the Chapel.

THE ſubſcriber having furniſhed himſelf with a more commodious houſe, will ſell by way of public vendue, on Saturday, the 20th Day of October next, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, at the London Coffee-houſe (if not ſold before at private ſale) his preſent dwelling-houſe in Market-ſtreet, nearly oppoſite the Indian Queen. It is 25 feet in front, and 38 feet in depth, three ſtories high, with good back buildings; all well finiſhed, and in good repair, and hath the privilege of a commodious alley into Fourth-ſtreet; there is a pump of excellent Water in the yard.

At the ſame time and place will be ſold by the ſubſcriber (if not ſold before at private ſale) a lot of ground, on the eaſt ſide of Fourth-ſtreet, near the corner of that and Market-ſtreet, 23 feet 4 inches in front, and 65 feet, or thereabouts, in depth, on which ſtands the preſent Land-office, a new brick building. There are on the back part of the laſt mentioned lot a good ſtable, and a brick building, which may ſerve for a work ſhop, and at a ſmall expence may be converted into a dwelling-houſe. The purchaſer may enter upon the premiſes immediately after the ſale. One third of the purchaſe money at leaſt muſt be paid down, and good ſecurity, if required, given for the reſidue, with intereſt.

JAMES TILGHMAN.

[*For more new Advertiſements, ſee the Fourth Page.*]

PARIS, June 19.

WE have an Account from Lyons of a very tragical Affair that lately happened in that City: A young Couple having conceived a violent Affection for each other, and not being able to obtain their Parents Conſent to marry, formed the extravagant Reſolution of conſtituting a Kind of Chapel, and dreſſing up an Altar, before which they were reciprocally to ſwear eternal Fidelity to each other, and then to blow out their Brains; all which they executed. It is added, that they had carried their romantic Notions ſo far, as to purchaſe a Dagger to accompliſh their Purpoſe, if the Piſtols had failed. The Lad was the Son of a Fencing Maſter, and the Girl the Daughter of a wealthy Innkeeper.

Conſtantinople, May 7. According to a Relation tranſmitted by Moldavangi Pacha, of the Diſorders committed by our Sailors at Gallipoli, it appears, that while our Veſſels were waiting a favourable Wind in that Road, the Seamen went on Shore, and murdered Part of the Inhabitants, plundered the Reſt, and threatened to put Moldavangi himſelf to the Sword, with all the principal Officers and Members of the Regency. Moldavangi being thus obliged to ſtand on the Defenſive, prayed the Grand Admiral and his Captains to keep their People on board; but the Sailors having poſſeſſed themſelves of the Boats, in order to get on Shore, one of the Ships of the Line fired upon them with Ball, in order to oblige them to return, but the Captain of another Ship taking this as a Signal for Mutiny, fired ſeveral Shot, both upon the Man of War and the Boats, on which the Sailors all plotted together to land, and avenge themſelves on Moldavangi, whereby a dreadful Slaughter aroſe between them and his Guards. Soon after the Receipt of this News, the Porte diſpatched a Capigi Pacha to Gallipoli, with ſealed Orders, which probably will coſt either the Grand Admiral, or Moldavangi, his Head.

Grenoble, June 19. Two Men, one a Swiſs, and the other a Piedmonteſe, being ſuſpected of having ſtolen a Gold Watch from a Merchant in this City during Maſs, were arreſted ſome Days ago, ſent to Priſon, and interrogated by the Lieutenant-General of the Police; and as theſe Men paſſed for Merchants, Letters were written to different Parts, in order to enquire into their Characters, &c. in the mean while, they were allowed the Liberty uſually given to ſuch Priſoners; but the Anſwers to thoſe Letters not being the moſt favourable, the Sieur de Savoie, Lieutenant-General of the Police, attended by the Regiſter, went the 15th Inſtant into the Court of Juſtice again to interrogate theſe Criminals, and he began with the Piedmonteſe, whom he ſoon convinced that he had found him out to be an Impoſtor. This Fellow finding himſelf obliged to confeſs, and perceiving that he was detected, drew a Knife, and ſtruck at the Judge, who endeavoured to parry the Blow with his Hand, when the Fellow drove the Knife into his Hand, juſt under the Thumb, wounded him again in the Arm, and cut an Artery. The Judge then endeavouring to get on the other Side of the Bench on which he ſat, in order to defend himſelf, received a third Stroke on the Thigh. The Regiſter, who had not perceived what had paſſed till the ſecond Stroke was given, ſeized the Criminal by the Back, but the Fellow having his Hand at Liberty, drove the Knife up to the Hilt into the Regiſter's Stomach, of which Wound he ſoon died. The Villain hearing Help cried for, and finding he could not eſcape, ſtabbed himſelf four Times; at the laſt Stab he expired, before the Door-keepers could enter the Room where this tragical Scene had paſſed. The Parliament aſſembled directly, and ordered that the Body of the Murderer ſhould be dragged on a Hurdle, hung up by the Feet, and then thrown into the Road, which was executed next Day.

LONDON, June 22.

We hear that the Merchants and Factors concerned in the Cargoes lately returned from America, will be Loſers above Forty per Cent. on the Occaſion.

June 23. A Gentleman was obſerving the other Day to the preſent Firſt Lord of the Treaſury, That he was ſurprized that Col. B---e, who was ſo poor a miniſterial Man, ſhould be ſo powerful when he became an Oppoſer of Government; but the Premier anſwered, That he was not ſurprized at it at all, for a Man might make a great Figure in breaking Windows, who would make but a very indifferent Glazier, was he ſet to amend them.

A capital Merchant in the City has received Advice, that ſeveral Merchants in the Portugueſe Trade are preparing to ſet out on their Return to England, being wearied out with the tedious and unjuſt Oppreſſions of the Court of Liſbon.

June 26. All the Letters from Liſbon agree in Accounts of the Decay of our Trade there, and the Encouragement given by that Court to other Nations.

June 28. The Marquiſate of Bergen-op-Zoom (on which the Dutch have a Fort commanding the River Scheld) is a large and rich Territory, belonging to the Elector Palatine, though in the Midſt of the Dutch Territories. To retaliate the Elector's having laid extra Duties on the Subjects of Holland throughout the Lower Rhine, the States have laid extra Duties on the Subjects of Bergen-op-Zoom trading with the Dutch, ſo that the Rupture muſt ſoon be public.

The Cauſe of Quarrel between the French and us is not abſolutely known; but it is believed to have taken its Riſe in the Mediterranean.

Extract of a Letter from the Hague, June 22.

"The Elector of Triers has written a Letter to the States General, to offer his Mediation for accommodating the Diſputes between them and the Elector Palatine, ſo that there are three Mediators who have offered to lend a Hand towards the Reconciliation of the two Parties at Variance.

"Mr. Bouquet, Quarter-Maſter-General of the Troops of the Republic, is come to the Hague, by Order of the States-General, to receive Inſtructions relative to ſome warlike Preparations intended to be made, on Account of Advice received from Manheim, that the Elector Palatine had ordered his Troops to be in Readineſs to march upon the firſt Notice. Nevertheleſs, it is generally believed the Republic and the Elector will not come to an open Rupture, and that the Diſpoſitions which are making by both Parties, are done with a View to accelerate the wiſhed for Accommodation.

"The Prince and Princeſs of Orange are at Loo. It is aſſured that the Princeſs is four Months gone with Child, and that the Prince Stadtholder will impart this happy Event to the States-General at his Return to the Hague, the 27th Inſtant."

Letters from Venice inform, that the miſerable Greeks are flying on all Sides from the Fury of the enraged Ottomans, and what renders their Condition truly deplorable, the Grand Signor has declared, he will conſider as Enemies to the Porte, ſuch States as may afford any of them Shelter in their Dominions.

It is reported, that beſides the uſual Compliment of 1000 Guineas paid to the Count du Chatelet Lamont, the French Ambaſſador, on his taking Leave of this Court, Orders were given for making a Gold Coronet for the ſaid Count's Lady; which is now almoſt finiſhed by an ingenious Artiſt in Pall-Mall, and the Price is ſaid to be fixed at *Three Thouſand Pounds* Sterling.

June 30. We hear that the Repreſentation of our naval Affairs by a great Perſonage, has given great Diſguſt to ſome of the L---s of the A-------y.

When the Recorder declared the Choice of the Aldermen to have fallen on Mr. Trecothick, the Chain worn by the Lord Mayors of London was immediately put upon him by the proper Officers; after which he addreſſed the Livery thus:

"GENTLEMEN,

"Whilſt I return my Thanks to you for the Honour you have conferred upon me, I cannot forget the mournful Occaſion of it. My particular Loſs is great, but I know not where you will be able to repair yours. The late Lord Mayor had great natural, and greatly acquired Abilities; he had a very ample Fortune, with a Spirit and Firmneſs which enabled him to render you Services, which I ſcarcely know from whom to look for now. I think his Memory and his Actions will ever be dear to the Citizens of London. I am obliged to you for chuſing me your Lord Mayor; but I could wiſh you had not gone out of the uſual Courſe to elect me for theſe three or four Months. I think Sir Henry Bankes is a very worthy Gentleman, and wiſh he had been choſen. I ſhall be careful and impartial in the Adminiſtration of the Oeconomy, and Laws and Functions of my Office as chief Magiſtrate. Whoever has any Property or Connexions, or any Thing of that Sort, ought to be very careful to have the Laws obſerved. For my Part, I ſhall do my Duty, without any Regard to any political Reaſons, or any Thing of that Sort. I ſhall do my Endeavour to obſerve ſtrictly the Laws, but it will be in your Power only, my Fellow-citizens, that I may do it with Effect."

July 3. We are aſſured that the Account given of the Differences ſubſiſting between his moſt Serene Highneſs, the Elector Palatine, and the Republic of Holland, as inſerted in the Papers of Tueſday, the 26th ult. is erroneous; and that the Grievances of the Elector, on Account of many Hardſhips his Subjects meet with in Holland, are but too well grounded, and will, in all Probability, ſoon be laid before the Public.

Letters from Corſica mention, that ſeveral Bodies of Inſurgents are yet in Arms in that Iſland, and commit great Exceſſes. The Curate of Guado, who is at the Head of 200 Men, and another Native at the Head of 150, have ſeized ſome Carriages laden with Forage, and burnt ſeveral Houſes, belonging to thoſe who are in the French Intereſt.

We hear that the Freeholders of the County of Middleſex intend remonſtrating with the Parliament at their next Meeting; that the Remonſtrance is now under Conſideration, and it is expected will be ſigned by more than that to his Majeſty.

It is alſo expected that G---- B------, Eſq; will preſent the above Remonſtrance.

On Saturday ſe'nnight a terrible Fire broke out at a public Houſe at Fakenham, in Norfolk, which ſoon ſpread, and intirely burnt down the whole Town. A Church lately finiſhed, a little Diſtance from the Town, caught Fire, and was ſoon reduced to Aſhes.

July 5. The Hague Gazette, of June 25, has the following Article: "London, June 19. Many idle Perſons, who call themſelves Politicians, continue to alarm the People, by inſinuating to them, that France and Spain have agreed together to break the Peace, and to commence Hoſtilities immediately againſt Great-Britain. The King's Miniſters do every Thing which depends on them to undeceive prejudiced Minds; but they find much Difficulty to remove the Prepoſſeſſion of the common People. Every Man of good Senſe, ever ſo little acquainted with the preſent Juncture of Affairs, will eaſily agree, that the Courts of Verſailles and Madrid have not the leaſt Thought of troubling the public Tranquility. Our Court is alſo ſo well perſuaded of it, that they cauſe no extraordinary Armament to be made in our Ports, and they leave our Army on the ſame Footing as in Times of Peace."

Orders are given for a Man of War and two Tranſports to be fitted out at Portſmouth for the Coaſt of Guinea, on board of which will be embarked a Reinforcement of Troops to augment the ſeveral Garriſons on the Coaſt, which have been conſiderably weakened by Sickneſs.

ANECDOTE *of the late* LORD MAYOR.

"Lord E------, who lately went a Volunteer in the Ruſſian Service, was a Relation of the late Lord Mayor. Being one Day at Dinner with him, at his Houſe in Soho-ſquare, Lord E------ was a little more thoughtful than uſual, which being obſerved by his noble Kinſman, he aſked him the Cauſe of it. As the Party only conſiſted of a few choſen Friends, the other ingenuouſly confeſſed, That fitting himſelf out for his Expedition, and diſcharging his Tradeſmens Bills, required a Thouſand Pounds more than he at that Time could poſſibly ſpare; "Poh, poh, my Lord, ſays Mr. Beckford, what ſignifies a Thouſand Pounds! Apply to Lady E------, ſhe has been, perhaps, a greater Oeconomiſt than you are aware of, and I dare ſay ſhe can ſupply you." This Reply was looked upon by Lord E----- as ſufficient to put an End to the Subject, and the Converſation immediately took another Turn. About an Hour afterwards the Lord Mayor ſeemed to recollect ſome public Buſineſs, which demanded his inſtant Attendance, but previouſly inſiſted his Lordſhip ſhould ſtay and ſpend the Evening with him, as the Buſineſs would ſoon be over. Having engaged his Promiſe, he inſtantly drove to Lord E-----'s Houſe, and putting 2000 l. Bank Notes into Lady E-----'s Hands, "begged her Acceptance of them, as it was probable his Lordſhip might have Occaſion for ſome ready Money previous to his Departure." Without waiting for Lady E------'s Reply, who was ſurprized at ſuch an eccentric Act of Generoſity, he inſtantly drove back, reſumed his Company, and enjoyed himſelf with that Heart-felt Vivacity, that is the conſtant Attendant on generous Minds."

July 7. Yeſterday there was a very full Court of Common Council at Guildhall, when a Motion was made by Mr. Bellas, that a Statue be erected of the late Right Hon. William Beckford, Eſq; Lord Mayor, with an Inſcription containing the Words which his Lordſhip ſpoke to his Majeſty, at St. James's, on preſenting the City's Remonſtrance. Upon the Queſtion being put, there was but one diſſentient Voice, that of Mr. Watts, Pewterer, in Aldgate High-ſtreet. The Committee for conducting this Buſineſs is as follows:

ALDERMEN. Sir William Stephenſon, Croſby, Peers, Wilkes, Townſend, Sawbridge.

COMMONERS. Dep. Cockſedge, Dep. Allnut, Dep. Judd, Bellas, Beardmore, Freeman, Shove, Biſhop, G. Maynard, Hurford, Gorſt, Burford.

A Motion was then made, and unanimouſly paſſed, that the Committee appointed have Liberty to draw on the Chamberlain for any Sum not exceeding 1000 l. for the carrying the Whole of this Teſtimony into Execution, to the Memory of one of the firſt Patriots of this Age or Nation.

Mr. Bellas ſaid, that as it had always been cuſtomary to ſhew ſome Mark of Reſpect to the Lord Mayor on the Expiration of his Office, if he had exerciſed it well, he thought the greateſt Reſpect and Gratitude were due to Mr. Beckford; that he admired the Whole of Mr. Beckford's public Conduct, but eſpecially that Part of it which related to the Remonſtrances of the City of London, and in that particularly his diſcreet, juſt, reſpectful and animated Anſwer to his Majeſty; he therefore moved that a Statue ſhould be decreed to him for that Act, though he had ſo well deſerved it for ſo many others. He added to his Motion, that the Statue ſhould be placed in Guildhall, oppoſite the Huſtings, that future Mayors might be inſtructed by his awful Figure, and call to Mind his Zeal and Spirit in their Service; that the Remonſtrance ſhould be in his Hand, and the Speech to his Majeſty inſcribed on the Pedeſtal. He reminded the Common Council of the Obligations they had to Sir Robert Ladbroke, whoſe Motion to cenſure Mr. Beckford had been the Cauſe of recording the Speech, that therefore they would not be at a Loſs for a genuine Copy.

NORWICH, *Auguſt 23.*

On Monday laſt there was as full a Town Meeting as ever known, when the Town voted, almoſt unanimouſly, to adhere to their former Non-importation Agreement, and appointed a Committee to draw up a Bill to be laid before the Town on Wedneſday, to which Day they were adjourned; when the following Vote paſſed.

The Inhabitants of the Town of Norwich, aſſembled in Town Meeting to review the Non-importation Agreement, entered into by them, and to give their Sentiments upon the State of the general Agreement, as it now ſtands in this and the neighbouring Colonies, came to the following Reſolutions:

That the Meaſures now purſuing by the Colonies, to prevent the Importation of Goods from Great-Britain, if vigorouſly perſevered in (as they ſet up in the faireſt Point of View, their virtuous Reſentments, Union, and Importance) have a direct and powerful Tendency to obtain a Repeal of the late Duty Act.

That we are convinced by Reaſon and Obſervation, and the concurrent Teſtimony of our Friends in England, of the Wiſdom of our former Reſolutions reſpecting the Non-importation Agreement, and are determined to ſpare no Pains to give it a fixed and ſolid Form, by following every Breach (as far as the Exigence of the Caſe will juſtify) with the full Weight of our Indignation, and withhold all Commerce and Dealings from all who dare to violate it.

That we are both grieved and incenſed at the Defection of New-York---But leaving particular Animadverſions, we refer their Caſe to the General Meeting at New-Haven, recommending that due Attention be paid to it, and ſome happy Medium adopted that will place the Humanity and Juſtice of an abuſed People in the moſt conſpicuous Light.

That we have appointed two Perſons to attend the General Meeting at *New-Haven*, who are to be governed, as far as it may be neceſſary to know the Sentiments of the Town, by the preſent Reſolutions.

That the Towns which are nearly connected with us in Trade, be deſired to ſhew publicly, how nearly they join with us in theſe Matters.

"*The Committee of Inſpection in Norwich have the Pleaſure to inform the Public, that the Perſons who lately imported Goods, have ſubmitted them to the Direction of the Committee.*"

HARTFORD, Auguſt 27.

We hear from Waterbury, that a Woman of that Town, who in the fourth or fifth Month of her Pregnancy, was taken with a moſt violent longing to eat the Fleſh from her Huſband's Arms---he indulged her in making ſeveral Attempts, but her Teeth were not ſufficient for her Purpoſe;---and her unaccountable Longing continued until her Delivery, which was about three Weeks ago. The Infant refuſing the Breaſt, or any other Suſtenance uſually given to Infants, it was offered the raw Fleſh of a Fowl, cut fine, and dipt in the Fowl's Blood, on which it has fed heartily every Day ſince its Birth, and is the only Food the Child has taken till a few Days ſince, when it eat a little Milk mixt with Blood.

The Select Men, and Inhabitants of this Town, being grieved and incenſed at the Defection of *New-York*, have agreed to warn a Meeting to be holden at the State-Houſe on Monday next, to conſider and appoint ſome of their moſt able Hands, to repreſent them at the General Meeting at New-Haven, in September next, and they hope that the Towns in Connection with them, will publicly ſhew in the ſame Way, how nearly they join in the general Concern.

BOSTON, *September 3.*

Yeſterday Sen'night the Reverend Mr. WHITEFIELD preached at the Meeting-houſe in Medford, on Monday at Charleſtown, Tueſday at Cambridge, Wedneſday and Thurſday in Town, Friday at the new Meeting-houſe on Jamaica-plain, ſo called in Roxbury, on Saturday at Milton, Yeſterday at Roxbury, and this Morning in Town. He ſets out for Portſmouth To-morrow.

Since our laſt we have had a particular Account of the Perſon killed by Lightning at Sadbury, on Monday, the 20th inſt.---His Name was Benjamin Muzzey, about 43 Years of Age, a married Man;---he with a Number of others, were cocking of Hay, in the Meadows, on the Weſt Side of the River; juſt before the Shower came up, all the Men retired to a Houſe at ſome Diſtance, having finiſhed all but one Cock, which they left for this Man and a Lad to make up: A very ſevere Flaſh of Lightning came and ſtruck Mr. Muzzey on the back Part of his Head, ran down his Shoulders and Back, to the Waiſtband of his Trowſers, tore off the Metal Button behind, and went into the Ground, making a Hole of 18 Inches Circumference; the Lad was knocked down and ſtunned; as ſoon as he recovered, he ſaw the Man lying on the Hay, with his Eyes and Mouth open, as if ſpeaking to him; he went to him, but found he was dead; he then ran to the Houſe for Aſſiſtance, and when the People took up the dead Body, they diſcovered the Courſe of the Lightning as above; the upper Parts looked black as if burnt with Powder, without breaking the Skin. Several Perſons that were on the Meadows, the other Side of the River, ſay, that all around them appeared in Flames, when the Lightning flaſhed at that Time; and that it was before the Rain came on.

We hear the following Ships are coming out of England, with Commodore Gambier, for North-America.---The Saliſbury, the Gibraltar, the Kennington, the Zephyr, and Spy.

NEWPORT (Rhode-Iſland) September 3.

We are aſſured that every Article of Goods imported contrary to Agreement, in the Schooner Rebecca, Captain Gilbert, has been ſtored.

NEW-YORK, September 10.

Extract of a Letter from New-Jerſey, dated Auguſt 29.

"The Inhabitants of Burlington County have ſhewn a Spirit of Freedom---they have ſigned Articles not to purchaſe Goods of any who ſhall import, until it ſhall become a general Affair; and have appointed a Committee in ſeveral Towns, to keep a Look-out if any Traders ſhould miſbehave.---It having been reported that J--n J----y of Bordentown, had wrote for Goods in Conjunction with his Son at New-York, the neighbouring Inhabitants waited on him, let him know they did not like his Conduct, and inſiſted on his countermanding his Orders; he excuſed himſelf as well as he could, by laying the Blame on his Son, and ſaid he was not intereſted in the Goods, was only Surety for his Son, but would, the firſt Opportunity, countermand his Orders, and if that arrived too late, he would order his Son to ſtore them, on Pain of his high Diſpleaſure."

We hear from Southold on Long-Iſland, that about the 14th or 15th of Auguſt laſt, a young Woman of that Place, the Wife of Mr. Gerſham Aldridge, having been for ſome Time melancholy, and diſordered in her Mind, put an End to her Life, which ſhe effected in the following Manner; ſhe told a little Girl who tended her Child, to take it out of Doors, and play with it there; as ſoon as the Girl went out, ſhe obſerved the Woman go into a Bed Room, ſhut the Door, and ſoon after heard the Snap of the Cock of a Gun. After this ſhe ſaw the Woman come out, take a Powder Horn, go again into the Bed Room, faſten the Door, and preſently after heard the Report of the Gun in the Bed Room, where the Woman had ſhot herſelf in the Breaſt, and was dead.

About the ſame Time, a Negroe Man, belonging to Mr. John Tuttle, of that Place, was found drowned in ſhallow Water, ſuppoſed to be Self-murder, or Accident; but a dumb Indian of that Neighbourhood, by Signs gave the People to underſtand that he was murdered by two other Negroes, one belonging to Joſeph Reeves, the other to John Wells, and thrown into the Water, that it might be ſuppoſed he was drowned.

The ſame Week, at a Place called Montauk, an Indian, named Cyrus, remarkable for being of a ſerious religious Turn of Mind, put an End to his Life, by ſtabbing himſelf.

From Albany we learn, that laſt Week a Woman there, who was diſordered in her Senſes, jumped off a Wharff, and was unhappily drowned, before any Perſon could get to her Aſſiſtance.

Laſt Friday the STATUE of the Right Hon. WILLIAM PITT, Eſq; Earl of Chatham, was fixed on the Pedeſtal erected for it in Wall-Street, amidſt the Acclamations of a great Number of the Inhabitants. The Statue is of fine white Marble, the Habit Roman, the right Hand holds a Scroll, partly open, whereon we read, ARTICULI MAGNA CHARTA LIBERTATUM; the left Hand is extended, the Figure being in the Attitude of one delivering an Oration. On the South Side of the Pedeſtal, the following Inſcription is cut on a Table of white Marble.

THIS STATUE
OF THE
RIGHT HONOURABLE
WILLIAM PITT,
EARL OF CHATHAM,
WAS ERECTED
AS A PUBLIC TESTIMONY OF THE GRATEFUL
SENSE THE COLONY OF NEW-YORK
RETAINS OF THE MANY EMINENT
SERVICES HE RENDERED AMERICA,
PARTICULARLY IN PROMOTING THE REPEAL
OF THE STAMP ACT.
ANNO DOM. M,DCC,LXX.

We have Authority to aſſure the Public, that Meſſrs. FRANKLIN and FOXCROFT, Deputy Poſt-Maſters General of North-America, now in London, have, by a proper Repreſentation to the Miniſtry, obtained the Appointment of a Fifth Packet Boat

between New-York and Falmouth, in order to render the Correſpondence more regular between Great-Britain and America: And that the latter of theſe Gentlemen intended to leave England about the Middle of Auguſt, in a Veſſel bound for Philadelphia.

On Tueſday, the 28th ult. we had a very heavy Rain, attended with Thunder and Lightning, which ſtruck the Philadelphia Stage Boat, then lying at Anchor back of Nutten-Iſland, and ſhattered her Maſt very much; ſeveral Perſons on board were ſtunned in ſuch a Manner, that it was ſome Time before they recovered.

The 15th of Auguſt, a Sloop from Philadelphia for Grenada, run upon the Rocks at Bermuda, and received ſo much Damage that her Cargoe was obliged to be taken out, before ſhe could be repaired.

Capt. Roger Richards, in a Brig from Newfoundland, of and for this Port, was caſt away the 21ſt of July laſt, in a thick Fog, on a Cliff of Rocks, near Cape Race; the Veſſel entirely loſt, with every Thing that was in her, but the Crew was all ſaved.

Pot-Aſh was ſold in this City, laſt Saturday, for Fifty-eight Pounds per Ton, and is riſing daily.

Friday Night laſt arrived here from Canada, Sir William Draper, Col. Robinſon, and the Captains Collins and Maxwell.

Yeſterday the Harriot Packet, Captain Oake, ſailed with the Mail for Falmouth.

PHILADELPHIA, *September* 13.

On Monday next the GENERAL ASSEMBLY of this Province meets here.

Captain Ord, from Liſbon, on the 4th Inſtant, in Lat. 38: 25, Long. 71: 45, ſpoke a Brig, Captain Smith, from this Port for Dominica, four Days out, all well.

Captain Peters, from Liſbon, on his outward-bound Paſſage, the 19th of June, in Lat. 39: 12. Long. 15, ſpoke the Ship Delaware, Captain Jolly, from Smyrna bound to London, out 12 Weeks, in great Diſtreſs for Want of Proviſions and Water, with which he ſupplied him, otherwiſe all well on board; there were five Sail of Dutch Men of War then in Sight, who had refuſed to ſpare him any thing. On the 16th ult. in Lat. 37: 50, Long. 58: 30, ſpoke a Ship from Providence for London, 12 Days out; 21ſt, in Lat. 38: 46, Long. 63, ſpoke a Snow from Virginia for Liverpool, out 4 Days; and on the 30th, in Lat. 36: 37, Long. 65, he ſpoke a Sloop from Rhode-Iſland for St. Lucia, 5 Days out, all well.

Arrived at Liſbon. Captains White, Henderſon, M'Culloch, Spain, Keith, Caſſon, and Robertſon, from this Port.

☞ The Letter, ſigned CIVIS, is come to hand; but as the Piece accompanying it is ſo very long, we find it will be moſt inconvenient for us to publiſh it as it now ſtands; the Printers would therefore be glad to ſpeak with the Perſon that ſent it, as they humbly think an Abridgment would anſwer the End, as well as publiſhing the whole.

*** A few *black Leather* and *Hair Trunks*, to be ſold at the New Printing-Office.

Meſſieurs HALL and SELLERS,

Pleaſe to give the following ENIGMA *a Place in your next Paper, for the Amuſement and Speculation of your Readers.*

I'VE often heard repeated o'er,
That Two and Two for certain's Four,
And often heard a Man relate,
That Six and Four is ſurely Eight:
But in the Myſt'ry could not dive,
That Five made One, and One made Five,
Till laugh'd at by the pebbl'd Street,
And jeer'd by ev'ry Stone I meet,
Again into the Myſt'ry look,
And found it in Street-paving Book.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *Philadelphia*, INWARD ENTRIES.

Sloop Peggy, J. Long, from St. Kitts. Brig Conſtant Friends, P. Flyn, Brig Speedwell, J. Cox, and Brig Two Brothers, D. Evans, Grenades. Schooner Relief, T. Moore, Tortola. Sloop Rhoda, J. Kilby, New-London. Snow Roſe, G. Ord, Liſbon. Sloop Abigail, J. Kilburne, and Sloop Tom, B. Tuell, Rh. Iſland.

OUTWARDS. Sloop Polly, W. Bartlett, for Salem. Brig Dolphin, W. Price, and Brig Sally, J. Brown, Antigua. Ship Nancy, C. Donavan, Liſbon. Brig Nancy, T. Murdock, Barbados. Brig Conſtant Friends, P. Flyn, and Brig Speedwell, J. Cox, Grenades. Sloop Almſbury, W. Wyer, Piſcataqua. Brig Thomas, J. Lake, and Sloop Polly, W. Waſdell, Jamaica. Schooner Mary, W. Alexander, for Nevis.

CLEARED. Snow Mercury, G. Atkinſon, and Brig Polly, M. Roch, to Jamaica. Schooner Amelia, W. Ivory, and Schooner Lucy, J. Cornick, Virginia. Schooner Sally, S. Correy, North-Carolina. Snow Jenny, J. Hyſlop, Dublin. Sloop Rutland, J. Howard, St. Vincent. Sloop Sally, J. Buck, Wilmington on Delaware. Sloop Two Brothers, J. Amory, St. Kitts. Sloop Ranger, J. Prince, Tortola. Sloop Harriſon, F. Hooton, and Sloop America, J. Gorham, Boſton.

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It is hoped the conviction ariſing from theſe lectures and expeiments, will induce many more of our fellow-citizens to provide for their ſecurity againſt lightning, and thankfully embrace the benefit, which providence ſeems to have kindly intended us, in diſcovering the means whereby this may happily certainly be effected, of which ſufficient proof has been given in the actual preſervation of two houſes ſtruck by lightning in this city, neither of which received any damage.

All, who deſign to attend theſe lectures, are requeſted to be furniſhed with tickets, that no money may be taken at the door; they may be had at Mr. KINNERSLEY's *houſe, near the College, price* Half a Dollar *for each lecture.* ¶

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N. B. He may be allowed Time to attend Lectures, or for any uſeful, or improving Studies. ¶

Glouceſter County, September 4, 1770.

PUBLIC Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that the ſubſcriber hereof, in behalf of himſelf, and divers others, inhabitants of the townſhips of Greenwich, and Deptford, in the ſaid county, intends to apply at the next ſeſſion of General Aſſembly, to be held for the province of New-Jerſey, at the city of Perth-Amboy, on the 26th Day of this inſtant September, in order to obtain a law to build a bridge and cauſeway over Great Mantua Creek, from the ſubſcriber's land to the land of Jeffery Chew, of which all perſons concerned, are deſired to take notice, and make their objections thereto, if any they have.

ARCHIBALD MAFFETT.

To the FREEMEN *of the County of* PHILADELPHIA.

GENTLEMEN,

I BEG Leave to remind you of my Requeſt, and your Promiſe on the Occaſion laſt Year, to be excuſed from ſerving in the Aſſembly; I now expect, and again requeſt, you will grant me the Favour, by chooſing ſome other Perſon in my Room, at the approaching Election. I am, with due Regard,

Your reſpectful Friend,

¶ JOSEPH RICHARDSON.

September 8, 1770.

ALL Perſons indebted to WALTER and BERTLESHEE, above 12 Months, are requeſted to pay off their Ballances by the 1ſt of January next, or they may depend on being ſued.----They have for SALE, Buck, Duck, and Muſtard-ſeed SHOT, BAR LEAD, F & FF GUNPOWDER, with an Aſſortment of HARDWARE. 4W.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Thurſday, the 20th of September, at 2 o' clock in the afternoon, on the premiſes, a certain plantation or tract of land, ſituate in the Manor of Moreland, containing 43 acres, or thereabouts, be the ſame more or leſs, having a dwelling-houſe, barn, ſtables and ſaw-mill, erected thereon; bounded by lands of William Shoemaker, Collin M'Swainey, and others. And a certain other tract of land, ſituate in Moreland aforeſaid, containing about 14 acres; bounded by lands of Thomas Hallowell, ſenior, Rachel Dubree, and others; late the eſtate of Thomas Hallowell, ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

N. B. At the ſame time and place will likewiſe be ſold, all the ſaid Thomas Hallowell's houſhold furniture and ſtock.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Thurſday, the 20th of September, at 6 o' clock in the Evening, at the houſe of Benjamin Davids, at the corner of Second and Mulberry-ſtreets, a certain meſſuage, and lot or piece of ground, ſituate on the ſouth-ſide of Mulberry-ſtreet, in the city of Philadelphia, containing in breadth, on ſaid ſtreet, 18 feet 3 inches, and in length or depth 51 feet; bounded northward with the ſaid Mulberry-ſtreet, weſtward with a meſſuage and lot of Rebecca Steel, ſouthward by a lot of ground late of Joſhua Maddox deceaſed, and eaſtward with another lot of the ſaid Rebecca Steel; ſubject to a groundrent of Four Pounds, Ten Shillings, Pennſylvania currency, per annum, late the eſtate of Sarah Lewis, ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Friday, the 23ſt of September, at the houſe of Archibald M'Clean, junior, in Upper Dublin townſhip, a certain ſtone meſſuage or tenement, and tract or piece of land, ſituate in Upper Dublin townſhip aforeſaid, containing 13 acres, or thereabouts; bounded by lands of Iſaac Wood, Methuſelah Evans, John Burke, and Iſaac Shoemaker; late the eſtate of John Reynolds, ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Friday, the 21ſt of September, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon, at the houſe of James Black, in Southwark, a certain frame building (erected for a ſtarch manufactory) and lot or piece of ground, ſituate in Paſſyunk townſhip, containing in breadth, on the ſouth-ſide of Chriſtian-ſtreet, 60 feet, and in depth, 214 feet, or thereabouts; bounded by ſaid Chriſtian-ſtreet, and ground of Bartholomew Buſhere, John Lownes, and Paul Sneyder; ſubject to a groundrent of Four Pounds Ten Shillings, Pennſylvania currency, per annum; late the eſtate of Jacob Raybold; ſeized and taken in execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Saturday, the 22d of September, at 2 o' clock in the afternoon, at the houſe of Edward Bartholomew, in Montgomery townſhip, a certain plantation, or tract of land, ſituate in the townſhip of Franconia, containing 110 acres, be the ſame more or leſs, having two wooden tenements, barn, ſtables, and other out-houſes, erected thereon; late the eſtate of Ludwick Hoengen deceaſed; ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Monday, the 24th of September, at 6 o'clock in the evening, at the London Coffee-houſe, two certain contiguous lots or pieces of ground, ſituate on the ſouth ſide of High-ſtreet, in the city of Philadelphia; one of them containing in breadth 63 feet, and in depth 306 feet; ſubject to a groundrent of 10l. 10s. Pennſylvania currency, per annum. And the other of them containing in breadth 25 feet, and in depth 306 feet; ſubject to a groundrent of 8l. 12s. 6d. Pennſylvania currency, per annum, on which ſaid lots are erected, one three ſtory, and one two ſtory brick meſſuages, a large diſtillery, and ſundry convenient out-houſes; ſeized and taken in execution by

JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

BY virtue of a writ to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Tueſday, the 25th of September, at 6 o'clock in the evening, at the houſe of Jacob Barge, at the ſign of the Lamb, in Market-ſtreet, a certain frame tenement, and lot or piece of ground, ſituate on the north-ſide of Zane's-ſtreet, between Seventh and Eighth-ſtreets, in the city of Philadelphia, containing in breadth 20 feet, and in depth 110 feet. And a certain other lot of ground, ſituate on the ſouth-ſide of Zane's-ſtreet aforeſaid, containing in breadth 20 feet, and in depth 46 feet. The ſaid two lots are ſubject to a groundrent of Six Pounds, Pennſylvania currency, per annum; late the eſtate of Frederick Eſminger; ſeized and taken in execution by JOSEPH REDMAN, Sheriff.

Cheſter, September 8, 1770.

BY Virtue of a Writ of Levari Facias to me directed, on the 27th of this inſtant September, at 2 o' Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage or Tenement, and two Tracts or Parcels of Land thereunto belonging, containing in the whole 270 Acres, more or leſs, ſituate in the Townſhip of Londonderry, in the County of Cheſter; bounded by Lands of George Miller, James Glenn, Andrew Moore, David Ramſay, William Pinkerton, and Hugh Luckey; there are on ſaid Premiſes, a good Stone Dwelling-houſe, a good Log Barn, a large young bearing Orchard, a good Quantity of watered Meadow, and a very good Seat for a Mill; late the Eſtate of John Blair; ſeized and taken in Execution, and to be ſold by

JESSE MARIS, Sheriff.

BY Virtue of ſeveral Writs of Venditioni Exponas to me directed, on the 28th of this inſtant September, at 2 o' Clock, on the Premiſes, will be ſold by Vendue, a certain Meſſuage or Tenement, and Tract or Parcel of Land thereunto belonging, containing 78 Acres, more or leſs, ſituate in Kennet Townſhip, in the County of Cheſter; bounded by Lands of John Heald, Thomas Harry, Joſeph Weſt, and Iſrael Pemberton; late the Eſtate of Joſeph Chandler; ſeized and taken in Execution, and to be ſold by JESSE MARIS, Sheriff.

New-Caſtle County, ſs.

ON Friday, the 5th of October next, will be expoſed to ſale at public vendue, a very valuable griſt-mill, with about 13 acres of good land thereto adjoining, ſituate in St. George's Hundred, in the county aforeſaid, on which is a new frame houſe, well finiſhed, with two rooms on a floor, a good kitchen, ſtable, and other out-houſes; the ſaid mill is in the heart of a plentiful wheat country, on a never failing ſtream of water, and well calculated for carrying on a very extenſive trade in the flour way; ſhe is about one mile diſtant from the Trap, and the ſame diſtance from Drawyer's Bridge, about two miles from Appoquinimink Bridge, which is perhaps as public a landing as any in the county; and there might, with a little labour and expence, be made a paſſage for a flat to go from the door of ſaid mill to Drawyer's Bridge landing; the above being part of the real eſtate of James Anderſon, junior, deceaſed. Attendance will be given on the premiſes, by George Parker, adminiſtrator of ſaid deceaſed, or his attorney.

By order of the Orphan's Court,

‡ RICHARD M'WILLIAM, *Clerk.*

Cheſter, September, 9, 1770.

THIS day was committed to the goal of this county, a Negroe man, who ſays his name is Jack, and that he is a Slave to Captain James Potter, in Conecocheague Settlement, in Cumberland county. His maſter is deſired to come, pay charges, and take him away in four weeks, or he will be ſold out for the ſame. ¶ JOSEPH THOMAS, Goaler.

THE ſubſcriber, juſt arrived in this city, begs leave to inform the public, that he is acquainted with, and underſtands the manufacturing of wool, into fine cloth, camblets, ſhaloons, ſerges, Bath drugget, bockin-bay, ſwanſkin, ſpotted and plain, duffils, flannels, and blankets, &c. &c. in the neateſt and quickeſt manner, by various engines, of the neweſt and lateſt conſtruction, for ſorting, carding, ſpinning, rocking and warping, &c. Any perſon, or perſons, inclinable, and willing, to be concerned in raiſing a factory for the above branches of buſineſs, ſhall be waited on, by leaving a line at the London Coffee-houſe for their humble ſervant,

THOMAS BAMFORD, jun.

N. B. If Thomas Bamford, who left Liverpool in Old England, in 1760, is living, I ſhould be glad to ſee, or hear from him, or any perſon that can give account of him. ¶

Lancaſter, September 4, 1770.

A GOLD MEDAL,

TO be given to the Perſon in Lancaſter County, that makes the beſt Piece of Woollen Cloth, ſufficient for a Suit of Clothes.----The Cloth to be left with HENRY SMALL, in Lancaſter, before the 25th of March next, when proper Judges will attend, and the Medal will be delivered to the Owner of the Cloth, that is adjudged to have the Preference. §

NOTICE is hereby given, to all thoſe that have any demands againſt the eſtate of JAMES WHITE, late of Philadelphia, deceaſed, to bring them in, that they may be ſettled; and thoſe that are indebted to ſaid eſtate, by bill, bond, or book debt, to diſcharge the ſame before the 1ſt day of November next, or they may depend on being troubled, as they have been notified before, and little regard had to it, by us, JAMES BYRN, BARTHOLOMEW SUTTON, MARK WILLCOX, Executors to the laſt will and teſtament of ſaid White. ‖

Philadelphia, September 10, 1770.

ALL perſons indebted to the late partnerſhip of HOWARD and BARTRAM, Coppersmiths, or to JOHN HOWARD, next door to the London Coffee-Houſe, are deſired to call and ſettle the ſame with ſaid *Howard*, in one month from the above date, or they will poſitively be proceeded againſt as the law directs, without further notice, he being under a neceſſity of leaving this continent in a few weeks. All perſons having any demands againſt them, are deſired to ſend in their accounts for payment as above.

To be ſold for caſh, on very advantageous terms, the whole, or part of the ſtock in trade of the ſaid *John Howard*, conſiſting of a compleat ſett of Coppersmith's tools, and a variety of copper ware, japanned ware, and ſundry articles in that way, too tedious to enumerate. ¶

TO BE SOLD,

A GOOD two ſtory ſtone dwelling-houſe, with a cellar under the whole, and about ſix acres and a quarter of land thereunto belonging, ſituate in the townſhip of Charleſtown, in the county of Cheſter, on the great road leading from Philadelphia to Reading, within half a mile of William Moore, Eſq; and about 23 miles diſtance from Philadelphia; there is on the premiſes an excellent well of water, with other improvements; it is very ſuitable for a ſhopkeeper or tradeſman, being in a thick inhabited part of the country; the title is indiſputable. For terms apply to ISAAC HANCOCK, living near the premiſes, or to WILLIAM HANCOCK, in Fifth-ſtreet, near Market-ſtreet, in the city of Philadelphia. †

STRAYED away, from the New-market, on Wedneſday Night laſt, a black HORSE, blind of the left Eye, four Years old, about 12 Hands high, had no Shoes on. Whoever finds ſaid Horſe, and brings him to Mr. ALEXANDER, in the New Market, ſhall be well rewarded for their Trouble. ‖

TWO DOLLARS *Reward.*

RUN away, on Sunday Evening, the 2d Inſtant, from the Subſcribers, living in Southwark, an Iriſh Servant Lad, named CHARLES O'CONNER, a Biſcuit-baker by Trade, but underſtands the Shoemaking Trade; he is about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, has a pale Look, and ſquints with both Eyes; had on, when he went away, a Ruſſia Shirt, homeſpun Trowſers, Cotton blue and white ſtriped Jacket. Whoever takes up ſaid Runaway, and brings him to the Subſcribers, Biſcuit-bakers, living in Queen-ſtreet, ſhall have the above Reward, and reaſonable Charges, paid by * MAREIN FLICK, and

Philadelphia, Sept. 13, 1770. CHRISTIAN KRAMER.

STRAYED or ſtolen from the Subſcriber, living in Elizabeth Town, Lancaſter County, on the 16th of Auguſt, a roan grey MARE, paces and trots, branded on the near Buttock and Shoulder PR, about 14 Hands high, the near Side of her Mane foxed, and the off Side long. Whoever ſecures ſaid Mare, ſo as the Owner may have her again, ſhall have Twenty Shillings Reward, paid by GEORGE RIDSACKER. *

Cheſter, September 5, 1770.

THIS day was committed to my cuſtody as a runaway, a Negroe man, named Abel, *who ſays he is a ſlave to* Thomas Butler, *in Cumberland county, who lives within about* 10 *miles of Carliſle; his maſter is deſired to come and pay charges, and take him away, by* JOSEPH THOMAS, *Goaler.*

Alſo was committed to my cuſtody, on the 22d *day of Auguſt laſt, a Woman, who calls herſelf* Mary Sanderſon, *alias* Heyney, *for ſtealing clothes from ſundry perſons, which have been owned; and as there are many clothes ſtill in my cuſtody, ſuppoſed to be ſtolen, viz.* 3 *good ſhifts, of about a* 900 *linen,* 2 *linen handkerchiefs, one lawn,* 2 *muſlin, and* 1 *cambrick ditto,* 2 *holland aprons,* 1 *long lawn,* 2 *home made linen ditto, and* 1 *linen petticoat,* 2 *pair of India calicoe pockets,* 2 *white linen ſhort gowns, a pink coloured calimancoe quilt, a lincey jacket and petticoat, with two ſorts of ſtripes in the petticoat, and ſeveral pair of linen and yarn ſtockings; whoever has loſt the ſaid clothes, proving their property, may have them again, by applying in ſix weeks from the date hereof, or they will be diſpoſed of according to law. by* JOSEPH THOMAS, *Goaler.* ‖

Springfield, Cheſter county, September 10, 1770.

FOUR DOLLARS Reward.

RUN away, on the 9th *inſtant, a native Iriſh ſervant lad, named* Bartholomew Murphy, *has dark hair,* 5 *feet* 6 *inches high,* 18 *years old, ſpeaks good Engliſh, is talkative, he ſeems to be a ſilly ignorant fellow, and apt to lie; had on, a dark fuſtian jacket, lined in the fore parts with blue camblet, a ſtriped lincey under ditto, without ſleeves, homeſpun white ſhirt, ſtriped trowſers, neats leather ſhoes, and a half worn felt hat. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by me*

§ *THOMAS LEVIS.*

JOHN DUPUY,

Watch and Clock-maker,
A little below the Friends Meeting-Houſe, in SECOND-STREET, PHILADELPHIA,

TAKES this Method to inform the Public, that he carries on the Buſineſs of WATCH & CLOCK-MAKING & MENDING, in all its particular Branches; he therefore flatters himſelf, that he will give Satisfaction to his Cuſtomers as well as to himſelf, by compleating their Work in a careful and correct Manner on reaſonable Terms.----He has for Sale, a Parcel of good new LONDON WATCHES.

N. B. At the ſame Place may be had, as uſual, GOLD & SILVER WORK of all Kinds, by DANIEL DUPUY. ¶

IF WILLIAM BALSTER, Bleacher of Linen, lately from England, will call on REUBEN HAINES, he will hear of ſomething to his Advantage. ¶

ALL Perſons indebted to the late Partnerſhip of *Joſeph Galloway*, Eſq; *Thomas Wharton*, ſen. and *William Goddard*, PRINTERS, for the *Pennſylvania Chronicle*, Advertiſements, or any Kind of Printing Work, from *January* 26, 1767, to *May* 19, 1769, are earneſtly requeſted to make ſpeedy Payment to me the Subſcriber, in order to enable me to diſcharge the Company's Debts, which, by Fraud and Chicanery, were thrown upon me, greatly to the Prejudice of my Credit and Fortune. Alſo all thoſe indebted for the *Chronicle*, Advertiſements, &c. from *May* 19, 1769, to *February* 1770, the Time Mr. *Towne* (Meſſieurs *Galloway* and *Wharton*'s Subſtitute) eloped from his Buſineſs, are deſired to make immediate Payment to me the Subſcriber, who have all the Company Books, &c. or to my authoriſed Collectors, to whom alone they can pay with Safety, notwithſtanding the ridiculous and virulent Advertiſements, which the *Junto* have *made* Mr. *Towne* publiſh, to excite falſe Fears in the Cuſtomers, and to render my Character as infamous in *Imagination*, as their own is in *Reality*.

The ſeveral malicious Advertiſements induſtriouſly circulated, with a View to prejudice my Character, I conſider as the Overflowings of Hearts at Enmity with Honour, and all the Virtues, which dignify Humanity. The Spirit and Language of them plainly diſcover the genuine Source they proceed from, being conceived in Terms which ſtrongly ſavour the "*low Wranglings of the Bar*." As for Mr. *Towne*, who fain would be conſidered *an Author*, it is very well known, that during the Time he was in my Service, his Genius LAY FAST ASLEEP, being never able to model five Lines of *Engliſh* fit for the Preſs, and is indeed but juſt qualified to ſign whatever is prepared to his Hand.------This and other Conſiderations induce me to decline entering into a Diſpute with him, unleſs Meſſieurs *Galloway* and *Wharton* will publicly acknowledge him their Advocate and Champion. I may then, perhaps, addreſs myſelf to *him*, when I have any Thing to ſay to *them*; but until they do this, I ſhall conſider them as the Authors of all the Scurrility and low Abuſe that has or may be publiſhed under the Name of the ſaid *Benjamin Towne*, even if it ſhould be uſhered into the World by a Declaration, that the *Junto Gentlemen* never peruſed it, but that he, *Benjamin Towne*, *all alone*, without any *Fellow-Labourers*, prepared, printed and publiſhed the *great* and *weighty* Work.

I am aware, that by purſuing ſuch a Conduct, I ſhall ſubject myſelf to an Inundation of abuſive Epithets, which plentifully adorn the laſt Advertiſement, that has been ſent abroad under Mr. *Towne*'s Name. After ſuch a Specimen, in the next Publication, may we not expect, that Mr. *Towne*, by Authority of his Superiors, will publiſh a Kind of Manifeſto to the following Purport, *viz.*

"*Whoſoever ſhall dare to deny or gainſay, that I myſelf*, Benjamin Towne, *am the* SOLE *Author or Manufacturer of certain* CELEBRATED *Writings, which have lately been promulgated under my Name, or ſhall be ſo* PRESUMPTUOUS *as even to inſinuate, that the Gentlemen called the* JUNTO, *whom I very well know under that Title, had any Hand therein, I do hereby declare and brand ſuch Delinquent as "falſe, malevolent and ſcurrilous---a feeble and baſe Murderer of his Superiors---a villainous Slanderer---vain Boaſter---Bluſterer---profligate Calumniator,"* * &c. &c.

This is the chaſte and polite Language of Men, who have *made* Mr. *Towne* exclaim againſt Scurrility, as betraying a "weak Cauſe, and a bad Heart." I give this as a *ſmall* Specimen of their Accompliſhments and Conſiſtency---and I am perſuaded the diſcerning Reader, whether he be *long* or "*ſhort-ſighted*," will eaſily diſcover, that they charge me with being ſcurrilous only as an Excuſe to become ſo themſelves, when they ſaw they were in Danger of being held up to View in their "*native Colours*."

The Confederacy have been ſo indefatigable in their Endeavours to injure the *Chronicle*, in diſtant Parts, that I have been under the Neceſſity to viſit ſeveral Places in this and the neighbouring Provinces, in order to obviate the Effects of their Malignity. This hath been the principal Cauſe of my delaying the Publication of the Hiſtorical Account of the Riſe and Progreſs of the *Pennſylvania Chronicle*, &c. But I am now determined to go on with the Work, and the Public ſhall ſoon be convinced, that I have never meant to triffe with or impoſe upon them, and that no Perſecution, or diſhonourable Overtures, ſhall ever ſwerve me from my Purpoſe of unmaſking Meſſieurs *Galloway* and *Wharton*, and their Man *Towne*, that they may be *properly diſtinguiſhed*.

"When Men of Infamy to Grandeur loar,
"They light a Torch to ſhew their Shame the more."

As for the *four Charges* Mr. *Towne* has brought againſt me, I ſhall, at preſent, content myſelf with aſſuring the Public, that they *only* contain *four Falſhoods*, not doubting but my negative Aſſertion will have as much Weight as the unſupported Allegations of Mr. *Towne*, or his Patrons.

Philad. Sept. 3, 1770. WILLIAM GODDARD.

* *See the laſt Exhibition ſigned* B. Towne, *in Meſſieurs* Hall *and* Sellers's, *and Meſſieurs* Bradfords *Papers*.

DAVID REID,

GARDINER, SEED-MAN, *and* NURSERY-MAN, *from* LONDON,
Living in SPRING-GARDEN, near PHILADELPHIA,

BEGS Leave to inform all Gentlemen, Merchants, Captains and others, that they may be ſupplied with all SORTS of GARDEN-SEED, alſo FRUIT-TREES and FLOWERS, at the loweſt RATES, which he will warrant to be good, with the proper Names. ¶

STRAYED or STOLEN, on the 30th day of Ninth Month, called Auguſt, 1770, from out of the paſture of the ſubſcriber, living in the Borough of Cheſter, a cheſtnut coloured MARE, mixed with grey hairs, eſpecially about the head and tail, about 14 hands high, upwards of 10 years old, paces naturally, and branded thus B. P. Whoever takes up ſaid mare and thief, ſo that the owner may have the mare again, and the thief be brought to juſtice, ſhall have FORTY SHILLINGS reward, and reaſonable charges; or TWO DOLLARS for the mare only, paid by WILLIAM STARR. ¶

Philadelphia, Ninth Month 5, 1770.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of Andrew Cambje, late of Pequa, Pedlar, deceaſed, are deſired to make immediate Payment to the Subſcriber, or HUGH MAQUIRE, in Pequa, who is authoriſed to receive the ſame; and thoſe who have any Demands againſt ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to bring in their Accounts, properly atteſted, that they may be adjuſted by ¶ GEORGE SMITH, Adminiſtrator.

PETER MIERCKEN, SUGAR-REFINER,

HEREBY acquaints the Public in general, and his Friends in particular, That he is removed from Second-ſtreet, to Society-Hill, into the Sugar-Houſe in Shippen-ſtreet, between Second and Third-ſtreets; where he continues to carry on the Sugar-refining Buſineſs, and ſells Loaf, Lump, and Muſcovado Sugars, Sugar-candy, and Melaſſes, at the moſt reaſonable Prices. He will be obliged to thoſe who will pleaſe to favour him with their Cuſtom. ¶

FIVE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away, on the 3d of this inſtant September, from the ſubſcriber, living in Providence, Philadelphia county, the following ſervant, viz. William Carroll, a native Iriſhman, and ſpeaks with the brogue, about 5 feet 10 inches high, a down look, marked with the ſmall-pox, has ſmall eyes, black hair, and is a coarſe ſtrong built fellow; had on, when he went away, a country made ſhirt, old tow trowſers, and a felt hat. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him in any goal, ſo as his maſter may get him again, ſhall have the above reward, paid by PATRICK GORDON, living near French-creek mouth, by Schuylkill, or WILLIAM GRAHAM, at the Black Horſe, in Market-ſtreet, Philadelphia. ¶

CAME to the plantation where the ſubſcriber now liveth, in Cumberland townſhip, York county, about the middle of July laſt, a dark roan HORSE, natural pacer, with an old bell on. The owner is deſired to prove his property, pay charges, and take him away. ROBERT MORRISON. ¶

RUN away from his bail, living in Greenwich, Cumberland county, Weſt New-Jerſey, a certain Richard Wood, about 6 feet high, pretty ſlim made, of a ſwarthy complexion, has long brown hair, commonly tied behind; had with him, a brown coloured homeſpun lappelled coat, lappelled damaſcus veſt, as alſo a pair of knit black breeches, and white trowſers. He rode away a dark brown mare, 10 or 11 years old, low in fleſh, a natural pacer, 14 or 15 hands high. Whoever takes up ſaid runaway, and ſecures him in any goal, ſo as he may be had again by his bail, upon notice, ſhall have a reward of Three Pounds, paid by me JAMES CARUTHERS.

May 20, 1770. ¶

Hunterdon county, September 3, 1770.

WHEREAS I, the ſubſcriber, by unwearied diligence, for upwards of fifty years paſt, had acquired a large eſtate, and having, for ſome years paſt, been unfortunately concerned in trade and iron-works, by which means large debts were contracted, and, through the ſcarcity of money, was obliged to mortgage the greateſt part of my lands; the reſt ſeized by execution, and, by the hardneſs of the times, they will not ſell for half price, and actions ſtill going on againſt me; I therefore hereby give my creditors notice, that I am obliged, and under a neceſſity of petitioning the Legiſlature of the province of New-Jerſey, at their next Seſſion, for relief in the premiſes. MARTIN RYERSON. ¶

Baltimore county, September 3 1770.

FIVE POUNDS *Reward.*

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living about 10 miles from Baltimore-Town, in Maryland, an Engliſh ſervant man, named GEORGE ADAMS, about 35 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches high, pitted with the ſmall-pox, has black hair and beard, a ſcar on his upper lip, is remarkably pleaſant, and ſmiles when talking; had on, when he went away, an old felt hat, a brown great coat, without a cape, with metal buttons, a blue-grey fearnought jacket, without ſleeves, ozenbrigs ſhirt and trowſers. He likewiſe took away with him a bay HORSE, with a blaze face, about 14 hands high, has a ſtanding mane, a natural pacer, and ſhod before. Whoever takes up ſaid man and horſe, and ſecures them, ſo that their maſter gets them again, ſhall have, if in the county, Forty Shillings; if out of the county, Three Pounds; if out of the province, the above reward; and in proportion for either, with reaſonable charges, if brought home, paid by NICHOLAS BRITTON. ¶

TWENTY DOLLARS *Reward.*

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in Anne-Arundel county, in the province of Maryland, about the 13th of Auguſt laſt, a convicted ſervant man, named JOHN SHIELDS, alias JOHN WILSON, a Scotchman, about 30 years of age, 5 feet 8 or 9 inches high, round ſhouldered, of a dark complexion, has a black beard, and ſhort black hair, is bald on the top of his head, but wears ſome hair tied on with a ſtring, in order to conceal it; he talks very broad Scotch; had on, and took with him, a blue cloth coat, ſtriped waiſtcoat, ozenbrigs and white ſhirts, country made ſhoes, worſted ſtockings, and felt hat. It is probable he will change his dreſs, and forge a paſs. Whoever apprehends the ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him in any goal, ſo that he may be had again, ſhall receive Five Pounds reward, if taken in the province of Maryland, and Twenty Dollars, if out of the province, paid by

September 6, 1770. JOHN DORSEY.

FORTY SHILLINGS Reward.

RAN away, this morning, from the ſubſcriber, living in Birmingham townſhip, Cheſter county, an Iriſh ſervant man, named *Thomas Wilkiſon*, a middle-ſized fellow, of a lightiſh complexion, wears his own hair, tied behind; had on, when he went away, an old felt hat, a French grego jacket, with tags 3 inches long, of a black colour, a new hempen and tow ſhirt, a pair of new tow trowſers, and double ſoaled ſhoes. He has forged a paſs or recommendation, and ſigned it with the names of ſome people in Baltimore county. Whoever takes up the ſaid ſervant, and ſecures him, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall receive the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by

September 4, 1770. WILLIAM KERLIN.

N. B. Said ſervant ran away about two weeks ago, and was taken up, and brought home.

RUN away, on the 16th of July laſt, from the Subſcriber, living in Sadſbury Townſhip, Lancaſter County, an Iriſh Servant Man, named JAMES HARLEY, about 21 Years of Age, 5 Feet 6 Inches high, is much marked with the Small-pox, and has fair ſandy coloured Hair, tied behind; had on, when he went away, a whitiſh coloured grey Cloth Coat, with broad Metal Buttons, coarſe Tow Shirt and Trowſers, an old Felt Hat, and a Pair of new Shoes, tied with Thongs, but it is expected he will ſteal Cloaths of every Sort, and change his Dreſs. Whoever takes up ſaid Servant, and ſecures him in any of his Majeſty's Goals, ſo as his Maſter may have him again, ſhall have THREE POUNDS Reward, paid by me JOHN HETHORN. ¶

N. B. *All Maſters of Veſſels are forbid to carry him off at their Peril.*

THREE POUNDS Reward.

RUN away from Andover Iron-works, in the county of Suſſex, New-Jerſey, on Saturday, the 4th day of Auguſt laſt, an Engliſh ſervant lad, named JOHN COLLINS, about 19 or 20 years of age, 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high, round ſhouldered, full faced, a little freckled, has ſhort ſtraight brown hair, ſlow in ſpeech, a little dull in hearing, ſtoops and rocks much when he walks; had on, when he went away, a drab coloured coarſe cloth jacket, with ſleeves, one blue double breaſted under ditto, without ſleeves or lining, metal buttons on both, an ozenbrigs ſhirt, and pair of trowſers, an old felt hat, ſhoes half worn, with buckles not fellows. Whoever takes up and ſecures ſaid ſervant, ſo that the ſubſcriber may have him again, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by JOSEPH TURNER, Eſq; in Philadelphia; or, at ſaid Works, by

§ ARCHIBALD STEWART.

FOR LONDON,

The SHIP
LONDON PACKET,
JAMES COOKE, MASTER;

NOW lying at Warder's wharff, has extraordinary accommodations for paſſengers, and will ſail with all convenient ſpeed, having part of her cargoe ready to go on board. For freight or paſſage apply to JEREMIAH WARDER, RICHARD PARKER, or ſaid Maſter.

THE Members of the Juliana Library Company, in Lancaſter, are deſired to meet at their Library Room, in the Borough of Lancaſter, on Saturday, the 15th Day of September next, to elect and chooſe Directors, a Treaſurer, and a Librarian, for the enſuing Year, agreeable to their Charter. And as the Directors have lately made a neat Addition to the Library, by a freſh Importation of new Books, they are under the Neceſſity of requeſting, that the Members will then be punctual in making their yearly Payments, and diſcharging all Arrears.

By Order of the Directors,
Auguſt 21, 1770. WILLIAM ATLEE, *Secretary.*

WANTED,

For the NEGROE CHARITY-SCHOOL in this City,

A MISTRESS, well qualified to inſtruct Children in Reading, Sewing and Knitting. For the Terms, apply to either of the Subſcribers, FRANCIS HOPKINSON,
EDWARD DUFFIELD.

N. B. None need offer but ſuch as can be well recommended.

A CARGOE of Cadiz SALT, is now ſelling on board the Ship *Thomas and Robert*, of which JOSEPH DREW is Maſter, lying at *Willing* and *Morris*'s Wharff, at *Twenty-pence* per Buſhel, for any Quantity not leſs than 100 Buſhels. Philadelphia, September 3, 1770.

BOHEA TEA,
TO BE SOLD, BY
CHARLES WHARTON. ¶

To be SOLD by
JOSEPH RICHARDSON, GOLDSMITH,
A Parcel of Money Scales & Weights. §

To be SOLD, by private SALE,

A VERY pleaſant ſituated lot or tract of land, for a gentleman's country ſeat, in the upper part of Germantown, having 125 feet front on the main ſtreet, in the beſt part of the town to carry on any extenſive buſineſs, tavern or ſhop, &c. &c. being between 2 and 3 acres of land; having a large 2 ſtory ſtone houſe, a ſtone kitchen, good ſtabling, and a good pump thereon, with a large and very pleaſant ſituated garden, great part thereof planted with pear, plumb, cherry, apricot, nectarine, nut and other curious fruit trees, and excellent aſſortments of flower and garden curioſities; a very fine thriving orchard of the beſt fruit; and the reſt very good graſs land. Its pleaſant ſituation will recommend itſelf, for a ſummer ſeat of pleaſure or conveniency for any buſineſs; ſeveral years time (if deſired) will be given for the payment of the greateſt part of the purchaſe money, on paying intereſt, and giving ſecurity. Alſo then to be ſold, another near adjacent piece of graſs land. The terms of ſale may be known on the premiſes, of CHRISTIAN LEHMAN; or of WILLIAM LOGAN, Eſq; at Philadelphia.

N. B. The title is indiſputable. §

*** Said *Chriſtian Lebman* alſo keeps a nurſery, and hath for ſale, the rareſt and beſt ſort of pear, plumb, apricot, cherry, nectarine, nut, and catalpa trees; alſo tulip and hyacinth roots, during the ſummer ſeaſon, &c. &c.

FOUR DOLLARS *Reward.*

RUN away from the ſubſcriber, living in the townſhip of Deptford, in the county of Glouceſter, in the Jerſeys, on the 16th of Auguſt, 1770, an Engliſh ſervant man, named EDWARD CLEMONS, *about 23 years of age, 5 feet 4 inches high, middle ſtature, a good deal knock-kneed, ſandy complexion, ſtraight hair, ſour look, and calls himſelf a pin-maker by trade; had on, when he went away, an ozenbrigs ſhirt, tow trowſers, new felt hat, brown coat, with horn buttons, a white flannel jacket, and new ſhoes; as he has lately run away twice, once he was put in Cheſter goal, next he got to Burlington county, he had a horſe lock on his left leg, under his trowſers, tied up to the calf of his leg, but may have got it off. Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid ſervant, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges, paid by* JAMES HINCHMAN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the *Truſtees of the Society for promoting Learning amongſt the Baptiſt* CHURCHES, that a ſpecial Meeting is to be held at the TREASURER'S Houſe, on *Friday*, the 14th of *September* next, at Nine o'Clock in the Morning. *Auguſt* 27, 1770. ¶

RUN away, on the night of the 21ſt of Auguſt, 1770, *from the ſhip Thornton, Captain M'Dougall, lying in the Ferry-branch of Patapſco, in Maryland, two convict men, viz.* WILLIAM SYMONDS, *by trade a Barber, about 25 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, wears his own ſhort light coloured hair, and is very fond of tobacco, has a down look when ſpoke to, or taxed with any thing amiſs.* JOHN HILL, *by trade a Glaſs-blower, about 26 years of age, fair complexion and pitted with the ſmall-pox, wore an old brown cut wig, is about 5 feet 4 inches high, and is a talkative ſenſible fellow. We cannot deſcribe their clothes particularly, but from the beſt information the Captain can give us, they both have it in their power to dreſs genteely, and it is very probable they will paſs for maſter and man. Whoever takes up the ſaid ſervants, and brings them to us, ſhall receive a reward of Forty Shillings for each, if taken in the province; if out of the province,* FOUR POUNDS *for each, beſides reaſonable charges, and the reward allowed by law.*

WILLIAM RUSSELL, *and* MATTHEW RIDLEY.

N. B. All maſters of veſſels are forewarned from harbouring or carrying off either of them. ‡

FORTY POUNDS Reward,

WILL be paid to a good MILLER, for one year's ſervice at the ſubſcriber's mill, ſituate at the Head of Morgan's creek, in Kent county, Maryland; he muſt be a ſingle man, about middle age, and well recommended; he muſt apply by the 20th of September next. ISAAC PERKINS. §

To the PUBLIC.

ALL Perſons, who have COCOONS, which they are deſirous of having wound, are requeſted to bring them to the FILATURE, in this City, near Market-ſtreet, in Seventh-ſtreet, as the Managers have procured a Perſon from Georgia, who is ſkilled in that Buſineſs, and will proceed to reel the SILK, with all Expedition.

N. B. If any Perſons, MEN, WOMEN, or GIRLS, are deſirous of learning the Art of REELING SILK, by applying to the Managers, they will be admitted at the Filature for that Purpoſe. *Philadelphia, Auguſt* 24, 1770.

Hunterdon county, New-Jerſey, Auguſt 18, 1770.

WHEREAS the ſubſcriber has been concerned in trade, and carrying on iron-works, for a number of years paſt, by which, meeting with many loſſes, and, by the hardneſs of the times, is unable to procure money to pay the debts contracted at ſaid works, whereby they, and the lands belonging to them, which coſt ſeveral Thouſand Pounds, have been ſold, by execution, for only as many Hundreds, as alſo a large eſtate beſides, ſold nearly in the ſame proportion to its value; I am therefore under the diſagreeable neceſſity of giving my creditors notice, that in order to free my body from confinement, I intend to petition the legiſlature of the province of New-Jerſey, at their next ſeſſions, for relief in the premiſes. ¶ THOMAS READING.

The Subſcriber begs Leave to inform the PUBLIC,

THAT he is now ſettled at ROCK-HALL, in Kent County, in the Province of Maryland, in the Houſe lately kept by Abraham Ayres.----He has as good Boats and Hands as any belonging to the Bay, and carries Paſſengers, Horſes, Carriages, &c. from ſaid Place, to and from ANNAPOLIS and BALTIMORE-TOWN.----The ſaid Houſe is already much improved in Point of Appearance, and a large Addition is now making to it, and will be compleated by the Fall, which will add much to its Convenience for public Entertainment, and as he is determined to keep a good Houſe in every Reſpect, and his Boats in the beſt Order, he humbly requeſts the Countenance of thoſe Gentlemen travelling to and from the Northward, that chooſe to croſs the Bay at ROCK-HALL, and they may depend on being treated with the greateſt good Manners, and ſerved with the utmoſt Diſpatch, by their humble Servant,

‖ 8 W. BAZIL WHEELER.

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